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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
TAKEO SUDA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: READY, BRYAN  
SERIAL NO: 10/588,957 :  
FILED: AUGUST 10, 2006 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2852  
FOR: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS, :  
LUBRICANT APPLYING DEVICE,  
TRANSFER DEVICE, PROCESS  
CARTRIDGE, AND TONER

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 28, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.